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LIBRARIES LOSE IN HOLLINGSWORTH JUDGMENT

On May 18, the South Carolina Supreme Court ruled that the Greenville County Library did not qualify to receive taxes paid by manufacturing establishments due to a tax exemption granted to manufacturing establishments under South Carolina law. The state law allows a five-year tax break to corporations that have recently located in the state or have made an addition worth more than \$50,000 to their property.

The Supreme Court filed its decision in the case of Hollingsworth on Wheels, Inc. against various Greenville County entities, including the county library. The firm sought to recover property taxes paid under protest for the tax years 1977 and 1978. Hollingsworth asserted it was exempt from these taxes in 1977 because of the manufacturer's exemption set forth in S.C. Code Section 65-1527 (1962) which provided:

"All additions to existing manufacturing establishments located in any of the counties named in this section shall be exempt from all county taxes, except for school purposes,..."

The 1978 exemption is set forth in Article X, Section 3(g) of the S.C. Constitution which provided:

"---the exemptions authorized in this item for manufacturing establishments, and additions thereto shall not include exemptions from school taxes or municipal taxes, but shall include only county taxes." The Court stated that the language of a tax exemption statute must be given its plain, ordinary meaning and must be strictly construed against the claimed exemption.

Concerning libraries, the court's decision stated:

"Hollingsworth finally asserts the trial court erred in finding the library and museum taxes, although county taxes, were for school purposes, therefore, not exempt. We agree.

"It is unnecessary for the resolution of this appeal to address the distinction between the school purpose exception contained in Section 65-1527 and the school tax exception in Article X, Section 3(g) of the Constitution.

"The language exception taxes for school purposes or school taxes from the manufacturer's exemption must be given its plain ordinary meaning. Owen, supra. We have reviewed the record, finding facts in accord with our view of the preponderance of the evidence, and conclude the taxes for the library and museum are not taxes for a school purpose nor school taxes. The library and museum satisfy recreational and social needs as well as educational needs. However, they are not schools and they do not serve a school purpose. We hold in order to qualify for an exemption as a school purpose or tax, the entity for which the tax is levied must be predominantly concerned with schooling. This emphasis on schooling is not present here.

"The trial court further erred in relying on Section 4-9-35 and Section 4-9-39 of the S. C. Code (1976), to hold the library tax was a school tax as Section 4-9-35 was not in effect during the tax years in question (1977 and 1978). Furthermore, Section 4-9-35 merely states the tax will be levied in the same manner as a school tax."

The court ruled only in the Hollingsworth case, but lower courts are expected to be guided by the high court's language in the future. In addition to Greenville County, the decision is expected to affect other libraries funded by a designated millage.

The Court's ruling raises questions about the interpretation of Section 4-9-35 of the 1978 library act and about the applicability of Section 4-9-39 to years after 1978. Before requesting clarification, the State Library is attempting to assess the immediate and long-range impact of this decision on library funding in South Carolina. The library is seeking information from county libraries about any impoundment of taxes or reduction of funding resulting from the Hollingsworth case. Libraries are requested to send details concerning amount of funds lost for 1977 and 1978, amounts affected for 1979 through 1981, and any projections for the future. Also, any news stories, editorials, or official statements by county government officials concerning this matter should be addressed to Betty Callaham, State Librarian.

NETWORK FEASIBILITY CONSULTANTS MEET WITH S.C. LIBRARIANS

Three representatives from Metrics Research Corporation of Atlanta conducted an orientation visit June 3-5 to study selected S.C. libraries and computer facilities, meet with the S.C. Task Force on Library Automation and Networking, and to confer with members of the State Library staff and board members. Metrics Research recently was awarded a contract from the State Library to conduct a feasibility study for a statewide library network. Members of the Metrics study team are Dr. Robert M. Mason, President of Metrics; Johnnie Givens, Project Coordinator; and Dr. James E. Rush, Principal Consultant.

On June 3, the team made an orientation visit to the State Library to confer with State Library staff members. Meetings were held with Betty Callaham, State Librarian; Jim Johnson, Deputy Librarian; Marjorie Mazur, Director of Technical Services; Margie Herron, Director of Field Services; John Landrum, Director of Reader Services; and Lea Walsh, Interlibrary Loan Librarian. A site visit was

then made to the University of South Carolina Computer Center. Mr. Robert E. Roberson, Vice-President for Computing Affairs at USC, gave an overview of the center's facilities.

On June 4, the team paid another site visit to the Thomas Cooper Library at USC to meet with library director Ken Toombs. Following this, a luncheon was held to give an opportunity for the Metrics representatives to meet with the S.C. State Library Board and selected staff members. After lunch, Mr. Larry Wester, Director of Management Information Services, S. C. State Computer Center, gave a tour and explanation of the state government's computer facility. The day concluded with a visit to the Kershaw County Library during which time library director Penny Albright described the library's services and operations.

The team's visit was capped by an open meeting of the S. C. Task Force on Library Automation and Networking held at the Richland County Public Library on June 5. Prior to the meeting, team members met with David Warren, Director of the library. John Landrum opened the meeting with Task Force members, followed by Betty Callaham, who gave an overview of the feasibility study.

Four librarians representing different sectors of the library community then made ten minute presentations of the concerns of their particular type of library. Librarians included David Paynter, Director of the Florence County Library, representing public libraries; Dan Barron, USC College of Librarianship, representing school libraries; Dan Koenig, Director of the Piedmont TEC Library, representing special libraries; and Shirley Tarlton, Director of the Winthrop College Library, representing academic libraries.

Metrics Corporation representatives then discussed the nature of the feasibility study and answered questions. Following lunch, team members met with librarians in informal individual discussions. The meeting concluded with a summary by John Landrum and Betty Callaham.

Members of the Metrics Team will return to S.C. in late June for additional site visits.

TWO S.C. LIBRARIES WIN JOHN COTTON DANA AWARDS

The South Carolina State Library was recently notified that it is the recipient of a John Cotton Dana Award. The library public relations award was given in recognition of the State Library's "Share A Book With A Child" campaign. During fall 1980, the campaign promoted the importance of reading to children through use of bumper stickers, flyers, book bags, public service announcements, and local publicity generated by South Carolina's public libraries. Jane Gardner, Children's Services Consultant, will accept the award at the ALA conference in San Francisco.

Also receiving an award from South Carolina is the Laurel Bay School system at the Parris Island Marine Base. Cecil Door, Librarian at the elementary school, will accept the award for the campaign, "Daddy, Will You Read To Me?"

The John Cotton Dana Award, sponsored by the H. W. Wilson Co., is administered by the Public Relations Section of the Library Administration and Management Association of ALA.

NEW PROMOTIONAL MATERIAL FOR BLIND AND PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED SERVICES

The South Carolina State Library Division for the Blind and Physically Handicapped has prepared new display materials and application forms advertising its services. The materials will be packaged for distribution to public libraries. Each package will contain a counter card which holds application blanks, a supply of new application blanks, and a poster.

The new application form reflects the recent merger of certain services between the State Library and the Commission for the Blind and does contain a confidentiality waiver. Libraries are requested to discard their old application forms and begin using the new forms as soon as they receive them. Materials packets will be distributed by the Field Services staff during their library visits.

FY 81 APPROPRIATIONS

On May 13, the House of Representatives passed a bill (HR3512) extending the FY 81 continuing resolution through September 30 for all federal library programs. June 5 is the expiration date of last year's continuing resolution (PL 96-536). As of June 1, the Senate had not acted on the resolution. Final passage of the extension is most critical for the Library Services and Construction Act (LSCA) which is not forward funded. As a result 28% of LSCA funds have been withheld by the Education Department pending a Congressional decision on the three-month extension. Barring any changes to HR3512, LSCA would be released when the bill becomes law.

STATE LIBRARY JOINS ASERL

During its February 1981 meeting, the Association of Southeastern Research Libraries voted to invite the State Libraries of the Southeastern states to become members of the Association to facilitate the provision of better library service through closer cooperation. ASERL is an organization formed by academic libraries of the ten Southeastern states to promote development of research quality library resources and services, interinstitutional sharing of resources and services, research on library subjects, and sponsorship of educational opportunities for librarians. Membership in the Association is limited to libraries of educational institutions with doctoral degree programs or of governmental agencies in the Southeastern region which support comprehensive collections of research materials. The State Library will become the third South Carolina member of the Association, joining the University of South Carolina and Clemson University.

The Newberry College Library was closed briefly in May due to the discovery of a live cannonball dating back to the Civil War period. Members of an army explosive ordnance disposal team removed the cannonball which was found in a library storage area along with some old artifacts.

STATE DATA CENTER PROGRAM

Twenty-six public and academic libraries have agreed to participate in the State Data Center Program, a joint venture between the Bureau of the Census and the Division of Research and Statistical Services (DRSS) of the State Budget and Control Board. The State Library is serving as a core agency, along with DRSS, to coordinate the library portion of the program.

The purpose of the program is to make census data more accessible to the public. To accomplish this, the Census Bureau is depositing free copies of census publications, primarily relating to S.C., in the ten regional planning councils and in participating libraries that do not already receive such publications through Government Printing Office and Census depository programs.

The Census Bureau and DRSS will conduct a census use workshop on July 9-10 for the affiliate libraries and the planning councils. Details of the workshop will be announced by letter by DRSS.

Affiliate libraries are: Charleston County Library, Colleton County Library, Horry County Memorial Library, Lancaster County Library, Laurens County Library, Lexington County Circulating Library, Marion County Library, Orangeburg County Free Library, Sumter County Library, and York County Library. Anderson County Library, which is already a census depository library, will also serve as an affiliate. Sixteen Federal depository libraries agreed to serve as affiliate libraries: Baptist College Library, Citadel Library, Clemson University's Cooper Library, Coastal Carolina Library, College of Charleston Library, Erskine College Library, Florence County Library, Francis Marion College Library, Furman University Library, Greenville County Library, Lander College Library, Richland County Public Library, Spartanburg County Library, State College Library, and USC's Cooper Library.

LIBRARY SKILLS COURSE PLANNED

A basic library skills course (ALIB 101) has received initial approval at the USC-Aiken campus. The elective course, primarily aimed at freshman students, would focus on practical library use and examination of resources. It would be taught by professional librarians on a team teaching basis for three sessions per week for five weeks. The course was developed through cooperation between the library staff and the Division of Social and Behavioral Sciences. Pending approval by the faculty assembly, the course would be offered during the next fall semester.

Libraries may be eligible for interest-bearing checking (NOW) accounts under a proposed interpretation by the Federal Reserve System as found in the Federal Register, April 20, 1981, pages 22600-22602. The Federal Reserve System Board of Governors is proposing to make NOW accounts available to certain non-profit organizations, including governmental units such as libraries. Comments are due by June 15. For more information, contact Gilbert Schwartz (202-452-3625) or Paul Pilecki (202-452-3281), Legal Division, Federal Reserve System. Late note: See also Federal Register, May 28, 1981, pp. 28660-28661.

PUBLIC LIBRARY NOTES

Allendale County: The library hosted a reception honoring Mrs. Xania Lawton and Mrs. Minnie Wilson for their many years of service on the Allendale County Library Board.

Anderson County: The new Pendleton Branch Library held dedication ceremonies and an open house on April 26. The completion of the library represents the end of a long-standing project of the Pendleton Lions Club. Construction of the \$90,000, 1,500 square foot building was financed entirely by donations. Betty E. Callahan, State Librarian, represented the State Library at the dedication.

Barnwell County: The library sponsored a fine-free week and pick-up service May 20-27. In order to return overdue books, library patrons could call the library for free pick-up. Pick-up teams wore identification badges when collecting overdue books.

Cherokee County: "Arts and Crafts Festival IV" was held at the library on May 9. Local craftsmen displayed their wares for sale. Other activities included a book sale and country music program.

Chesterfield County: Formal dedication and open-house of the Pageland Community Library Branch was held on May 13. Approximately 170 persons attended the dedication during which time Senator John C. Lindsay addressed the crowd. Plaques were presented to Linda Ball Tucker who had been very instrumental in raising funds for the new library building. Cost of the new facility is estimated at \$230,000. Margie Herron, Director of Field Services, and Estellene Walker, Former State Librarian, represented the State Library.

Clarendon County: The library, in cooperation with the Manning Friends of the Library, the Art Guild, and local historical society, sponsored a performance of the "World of Carl Sandburg." The presentation, performed by a professional touring theatre, attracted approximately 200 people to the Manning mini-park.

Colleton County: The library has received its first shipment of art prints purchased with LSCA development funds. Plans for an art program are currently underway....Several art shows were exhibited at the library during May. Shows included works by Walter Dennis, Beaufort poet and photographer, a display of art work by Lizzie Dell Goodwin, and two shows from local high school art classes.

Dillon County: The library's bookmobile is alerting patrons to its stops by sounding a new horn which plays the Dixie tune popularized on the television program "Dukes of Hazzard". The library reports the new sounding device is very popular with children....A display of rare books, magazines, and comic books belonging to Larry Whitesides, Latta High School Librarian, were displayed at the headquarters library.

Dorchester County: Five extension homemaker clubs in lower Dorchester County are cooperating in landscaping the Summerville Branch Library.

Greenville County: Due to a recent reorganization, the library has combined its main library services and extension divisions to create a new Public Service Division. Joan Sorensen has been appointed Chief of Public Services....An

automation task force composed of library staff members has been formed to study library activities and make recommendations concerning automation. The task force will prepare a final report in June.

Kershaw County: Husband/wife, author/illustrator team Don Bolognese and Elaine Raphael were the guests at a luncheon on April 2 sponsored by the library and the Camden Book Club. The team's children's publications include Benji, Letters to Horseface, and Donkey and Carlo. About 60 library patrons attended the luncheon and watched Mr. Bolognese demonstrate his illustration techniques with the aid of a live horse model on the front lawn of the library....The library used a mock-up of an Internal Revenue Service return to present their annual report for 1980 -- entitled "1040L Library Annual Report Form." One library patron contacted the library as a result of the report, stating that after "auditing" the return, he found no entry for "off-the-wall" expenses. In order to partially rectify that situation, he enclosed a check for \$50.

Lancaster County: During Historical Preservation Week (May 10-16) the library exhibited Andrew Jackson memorabilia belonging to the Lancaster County Historical Commission...The library recently announced the scheduled publication of the Inventory to the Perry Belle Bennett Hough Collection in the Lancaster County Library for early June. The papers, compiled by Winthrop archivist Ron Chepesiuk, contain materials on Lancaster history and genealogy and an extensive collection on Andrew Jackson's birthplace and family.

Laurens County: The library planned a series of events in connection with "Older Americans Month" in May. Included among the special programs were proper use of medications presented by a pharmacist, Samuels and Samuels, a minstrel duo playing old-time favorites, community speech and hearing services, blood pressure screening clinic, senior cinema hour, and old-time radio programs on cassette.

Lexington County: A new branch library has been established in Swansea in a storefront facility. Several community residents contributed in donating materials and their time in building and furnishing the new branch....The bookmobile staff staged a traveling sing-a-long for their patrons. Mary Lott, a librarian, entertained bookmobile patrons with her guitar and singing.

Marion County: The library sponsored a program on "Be a better shopper" at library locations in Marion, Mullins, and Nichols. The program was conducted by the Clemson Extension Service....A chairlift was recently installed in the Mullins Library to accommodate the handicapped. Funds for the lift were contributed by former Friends of the Library in Mullins, the City of Mullins, and the Marion County Library.

Orangeburg County: The library plans to hold a book and bake sale on June 20 at the library. Proceeds from the sale will be used to purchase large print books. ...The library recently established a book deposit library in the Methodist Home. Approximately 150 of the home's residents attended the opening ceremonies.

Pickens County: The library, in cooperation with the Appalachian Council of Governments, has developed a survey concerning library service to be filled out by library patrons. The survey was commissioned to help provide a basis for developing a long-range plan for the library.

Richland County: The library took part in the Columbia Housing Authority's Art Festival on May 23 by displaying circulating framed art prints....On May 1, the library closed to hold an in-service training day. Consultants from Metrics Research Corporation - Dr. Ann Prentice, Director of the Graduate School of Library and Information Science, University of Tennessee; Dr. Steven Neuse, Political Science Department, University of Tennessee; and Johnnie Givens, Project Coordinator for Metrics Research - discussed performance evaluation position classification and compensation. Dr. Charles Curran and students from the USC College of Librarianship presented a program on "Dealing with the Public." Procedures for dealing with the problem patron were also discussed.

Sumter County: In connection with National Mental Health Month, the library mounted a display emphasizing mental health and aging. The exhibit featured celebrated elderly persons who have made substantial contributions to the world.

York County: Several staff members recently visited the Ruzicka bindery in Greensboro and participated in a workshop on simple bookbinding and repair.

Focusing on Serving Children

From the Desk of the Field Services Librarian for Children's Services

MAGICAL MAD HATTER READING PROGRAM LAUNCHED THROUGHOUT STATE

The Summer Reading Club is beginning in most libraries throughout the state now. I hope you will share information about your library's reading program and summer activities by sending information to the newsletter.

RICHLAND COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY launched the reading program with a sign-up party at Riverbanks Zoo. Children were admitted to the zoo free and received a membership card to take to their branches to complete registration. Activities including making paper hats were provided throughout the morning. The children's department also videotaped a puppet show advertising the Magical Mad Hatter Reading Club. The tape is being shown in elementary schools. Billboards promoting the program are up in various prominent locations around Columbia. Ginger Shuler also promoted the program on the Mr. Knozit show....ORANGEBURG COUNTY LIBRARY's program begins June 10. Weekly meetings will be held at the main library for children, ages 5-12, and will feature games, puzzles, and a magic show....FLORENCE COUNTY LIBRARY has made attractive color posters using the Mad Hatter program logo for their children's department and branches. Children will use small paper hats to indicate reading progress. Programs are being planned for all libraries throughout the summer....YORK COUNTY LIBRARY has also scheduled a busy summer of activities with film programs, craft sessions, and story hours in all libraries as well as the individual reading program. Like several other libraries they will also have a Read-To-Me program for younger children....At LEXINGTON COUNTY LIBRARY, Debbie Cooke is presenting a puppet show featuring characters from Alice in Wonderland to advertise the summer reading club in 15 elementary schools around Lexington County....ANDERSON COUNTY LIBRARY promoted their program by distributing letters

to teachers and flyers to all children in Anderson County elementary schools. Their program for children ages 5-12 will be supplemented by special programs at the main and branch libraries throughout the summer.

HAPPENINGS IN CHILDREN'S SERVICES

On May 2, the Sumter County Library, with the Sumter Poetry Club, co-sponsored the Club's Annual Children's Poetry Contest Awards. Plaques and certificates were awarded to six children who read their prize-winning entries. Over 60 parents and children attended the event.

The Hartsville Memorial Library (Darlington County) participated in the Arts Alive Festival at Kalmia Gardens with storytelling intermittently throughout the day. The library has also begun a program of nature walks for children led by one of the staff members, J. T. Alford. A coloring book of familiar birds and trees of Hartsville has been designed by the library to be given to each participating child.

The Orangeburg County Library will welcome their new children's librarian, Margaret Miller, with a public drop-in reception on Tuesday, June 2. This will give the new children's librarian an opportunity to meet patrons and talk about children's services.

Yvonne Glanze, who has been Assistant Children's Librarian at Lexington County Library since 1979, will become Young Adult Librarian on July 1. She will present film, book and speaker programs for young people between the ages of 13 and 25, and will also be responsible for selecting materials for their special needs. The library has begun a money-raising project by collecting newspapers at each branch to be sold for recycling. To launch this effort a "Newspapers Into Books" design contest is being held for middle school children. Children were invited to submit designs to be painted on the collection boxes at branches, and the winner will receive a \$100 bond.

PROFESSIONAL READING FOR THE CHILDREN'S LIBRARIAN

These titles have recently been added to the State Library collection.

010. Leonard, Charlotte. Tied Together; Topics and Spots for Introducing Children's Books. Scarecrow, 1980.

This contains useful ideas for introducing books to children within a program. Included are 55 brief book talks on subjects from flowers to foxes to magic. Each one gives a short paragraph on several books and lists related books. Nine talks aimed at parents wrapped up this useful book. They provide good examples of how you can incorporate books into film and other library programs.

010. Association for Library Service to Children. Let's Read Together; Books for Family Enjoyment. ALA, 1981.

This is a revised edition of a standard list of books recommended for reading aloud and family sharing. It is arranged by subject with brief annotations.

F371.335. Gaffney, Maureen and Gerry Bond Laybourne. What to do When the Lights Go On; A Comprehensive Guide to 16mm Films and Related Activities for Children. Oryx Press, 1981.

Gaffney led a children's film workshop for the State Library in 1980. The introduction to this book covers many of the points brought out in the workshop. This is followed by program theme ideas with suggested films and activities to explore the themes. Librarians can use these program ideas as starting points for planning and add books and stories to develop interesting and different programs. There is a useful subject-activity index and annotations of all films mentioned.

MCNAUGHTON'S FOR Y.A.'s

There is now a McNaughton service for young adult materials which includes bound paperbacks and high-low titles. The cost runs from \$34 to \$69.50 per month. (From the Virginia State Library newsletter.)

CALENDAR

June 17, 1981

1980 Census user conference. U. S. Department of Commerce. Columbia: Carolina Inn. Contact: Jayne Woodward (765-5345). \$15.00 registration fee, including lunch. Covers developments in subject content, geography, data users services, and product delivery from the 1980 census.

June 18, 1981

Workshop on locating census bureau data in printed reports. U. S. Department of Commerce. Columbia: Strom Thurmond Federal Building, Room 817. To register, contact Jayne Woodward at 765-5345. Free. Dutch treat lunch. Workshop designed for persons who have had little or no experience in using Census Bureau data. Aimed at documents and reference librarians, etc., who need to locate census information in printed reports.

June 28-July 4, 1981

American Library Association annual convention. San Francisco.

July 9-10, 1981

S.C. State Data Center conference for program affiliate libraries. To be held in Columbia. Information concerning this meeting will be mailed to participating libraries.

August 14, 1981

South Carolina Library Association. Executive Board meeting. Columbia: College of Librarian-ship, U.S.C.

October 7-9, 1981

Joint conference of South Carolina and North Carolina library associations. Charlotte, N.C.: Charlotte Civic Center.

NEWS NOTES ON S.C. LIBRARIANS

...MARGARET ANN MILLER joined the staff of the Orangeburg County Library as Children's Librarian on June 1. Ms. Miller is a graduate of Mansfield State College and received her master's degree in library science from Clarion State College. She has previously held library positions in Pennsylvania....KATHY TORMAY, Community Services Librarian, Florence County Library, resigned from her position in May. Miss Tormay will marry Mr. John E. Muller, Jr., and will be moving to St. Louis, Missouri....JOYCE CRAWFORD WRIGHT, Administrative Librarian at Voorhees College, has been appointed to the Academic Status Committee of the Association of College and Research Libraries of ALA....

NEWS OF TRUSTEES AND FRIENDS GROUPS

New members of the Allendale County Library Board are Alice Jones, Libby LaFitte, Cynthia McMillan, Mamie Peoples, and Betty Sanders.

The Friends of the Greenville County Library have used the proceeds from their recent book sale to purchase a photocopier for library office use and the Dun and Bradstreet Market Identifiers for Greenville, Spartanburg, and Pickens counties.

Poet and novelist James Dickey recently spoke at a joint gathering of the Friends of the Hilton Head Island Branch Library and the Hilton Head Institute of the Arts.

Mrs. Margaret Brinson is a new member of the Kershaw County Library Board.

Dr. Carlanna Hendrick, Chairman of the South Carolina State Library Board and history lecturer at Francis Marion College, spoke at a recent meeting of the Friends of the Library in Manning.

Sandie Griffeth has been appointed to the Nancy Carson Library Board of Directors.

Newly-elected officers to the Friends of the Nancy Carson Library are Merilee Anderson, President; Sally Benjamin, Vice-President; Bert Lewis, Treasurer; and Sharon Fernstrom, Secretary. The Friends will use funds raised through a recent membership drive to install a new insulated ceiling in the children's room and a walkway. The Friends group will also be assisting with the summer reading program and story hours.

The Friends of the York County Library are assisting in preparing for the theft detection system which will be installed in the new headquarters building currently under construction by placing special detection tapes in all library volumes.

CAROLINIANA

Bethel, Elizabeth Rauh. Promiseland: A century of life in a Negro community. Temple University Press, 1981. \$16.95.

Garrison, Juanita. The Piedmont garden. Columbia, South Carolina: USC Press, 1981. \$4.95, paper.

Pearson, Bruce L. The death penalty in South Carolina: outlook for the 1980's. 1981. 163p. \$4.95. Orders to: Actusc Press, 533-B Harden Street, Columbia, South Carolina 29205. Make checks payable to ACLU/SC Foundation.

Rawls, Walton, editor. A century of American sculpture: treasures from Brookgreen Gardens. Abbeville Press, 1981. 127p. \$29.95; \$16.95, paperback.

Rhyne, Nancy. The Grand Strand. East Wind Press, 1981. \$4.95, paper.

Shealy, Lois T., editor. 1981 South Carolina legislative manual. Columbia: Clerk of House of Representatives, 1981. \$4.00. Orders to Clerk, South Carolina House of Representatives, State House, Post Office Box 11867, Columbia, South Carolina 29211.

South Carolina Appalachian regional directory of city and county officials. 1981. \$5.00. Orders to: South Carolina Appalachian Council of Governments, Drawer 6668, Greenville, South Carolina 29606. (803-242-9733)

South Carolina Association of the Deaf. Directory of services, 1980-1981. Contact: Craig M. Maddox, Editorial Chairman, South Carolina Association of the Deaf, Inc., 9 Edwards Mill Road, Taylors, South Carolina 29687. (803-292-1396)

SWAP N SHOP

A "Swap 'n' Shop" of library public relations materials will be held during the South Carolina Library Association/North Carolina Library Association joint conference in Charlotte in October. The exhibit will be sponsored by the public library sections of both associations. Free samples of publicity materials will be available at the conference during regular exhibit hours. Libraries that wish to submit samples of their materials should send at least 75 copies to Ann Terry, York County Library, 325 South Oakland Avenue, Rock Hill, South Carolina 29730 by September 25. Please mark packages "Swap 'n' Shop" Materials."

LIBRARY PUBLICATIONS

Library Data Collection Handbook. 1981. \$10.00. Order from: Order Department, ALA, 50 East Huron Street, Chicago, Illinois 60611.

SYMPATHY

To the family of Kathryn W. Banks who died in May. Mrs. Banks had served on the Calhoun County Library Board for 30 years.

To Mrs. Gedney Howe, Chairman, Charleston County Library Board of Trustees, on the death of her husband.

To the family of Mrs. Mildred Davis Rhyne who died on May 17. Mrs. Rhyne is the mother of Jean Rhyne, a librarian at the Thomas Cooper Library, University of South Carolina.

To the family of Kathleen Roach who recently died. Mrs. Roach is the mother of Lou Whitmore, Executive Secretary of the South Carolina Library Association.

GIFTS

The Church Hymnal Corporation has awarded \$5,000 to the Voorhees College Library to purchase new books.

The Greenville County Library recently received a gift of \$1,000 from Multi-Media Corp.

The South Caroliniana Library is staging an exhibit entitled "South Carolina and the Cinema" reflecting South Carolina's contribution to commercial and documentary film. The exhibit, which runs through August, contains news clippings, flyers, broadsides, and letters on movies which used the state as a setting as well as information on South Carolina actors, directors, and producers.

The architectural firm of Wells, Hutchinson, Law, and Associates of Aiken has been retained to design an addition to the library at USC-Aiken.

The Reference and Adult Services Division of ALA will sponsor a pre-conference institute on "Family and Local History for the Reference Librarian" on June 24-26 at the University of San Francisco. Sessions will emphasize concepts of genealogical research as well as specialized research sources. For further information, contact RASD headquarters (312-944-6780).

Movie producer and leasor C. E. Feltner, Jr. recently donated more than 3 million feet of news film to the University of South Carolina Education Foundation. The gift includes news films acquired from independent companies over the past 25 years. The film collection will complement the 20th Century-Fox Movietone news reel collection at USC.

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